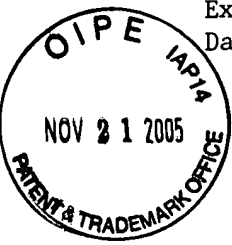


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DECLARATION OF STEVEN G. PRATT UNDER 37 C.F.R §1.132

I, Steven G. Pratt, declare and state as follows:

1. I am a co-inventor of the invention claimed in the above-referenced application.
2. I received a M.D. degree from Jefferson Medical School in 1975 and currently serve as the Director of the La Jolla Vision Research Lab. I hold academic appointments at Scripps Memorial Hospital, Pomerado Hospital, Scripps Clinic, Mercy Hospital, and San Diego Children's Hospital and serve as a senior staff ophthalmologist at Scripps Memorial Hospital. I have been involved in research relating to ophthalmic disorders and nutrition as it relates to eye health for over 20 years and have published extensively on these subjects in peer-reviewed medical journals, books, and in the popular press. I have been internationally recognized as a leading authority on diet, nutrition, and eye care (curriculum vitae and bio attached).

3. I have read the Office Action mailed on July 25, 2005 and am familiar with the Examiner's grounds of rejection for obviousness for obviousness over Gorsek et al. in view of Guivarc'H.

4. Under my direction, clinical studies have been carried out to determine the effect the claimed compositions on reducing inflammation of ocular tissue associated with dry eye syndrome. The signs and symptoms of dry eye in a controlled adverse environment were evaluated before, during, and after 10-weeks of treatment with compositions described and claimed in the above-referenced patent application. Twenty-four subjects with a history of dry eye participated in the study for approximately thirteen weeks. An anti-inflammatory nutritional supplement containing a carotenoid and polyphenol that is co-administered with an omega-3 fatty acid composition (collectively referred to as Dry Eye Oral Supplement) was tested. The study protocol included the claimed composition ("Dry Eye Oral Supplement") orally administered and a "Placebo Multivitamin" orally administered. Subjects in the Dry Eye Oral Supplement group were co-administered the claimed carotenoid/polyphenol composition (exemplary formula listed in Table A of the specification) together with an omega-3 fatty acid composition, and the subjects in the Placebo Multivitamin group received Centrum multivitamin composition (no omega-3 fatty acid supplements were administered to this group). Prior to administration of test and control compositions, subjects were evaluated over a period of 3 weeks to establish a baseline. A double-masked, randomized, multivitamin-controlled, parallel-group, 5-visit, single center, 10-week controlled adverse environment (CAE) study was then conducted. Ophthalmic examinations and follow-up CAE challenges took place at weeks 3, 6, and 10.

5. Twenty-three dry eye patients completed the study. Patients reported symptom scores (0-4 on a standardized scale) as shown below.

Mean Total Discomfort during 90-minute CAE exposure

Treatment	Base-line	p-value	Week 3	p-value	Week 6	p-value	Week 10	p-value
Dry Eye Oral Suppl.	3.05	0.195	2.86	0.482	2.44	<0.0001	2.32	<0.0001
Multivitamin Placebo	3.13	0.195	2.72	0.482	3.02	<0.0001	2.91	<0.0001

Mean Total Discomfort during 90-minute CAE Exposure - Change from Baseline

Treatment	Week 3	p-value	Week 6	p-value	Week 10	p-value
Dry Eye Oral Suppl.	-0.19	0.1654	-0.61	<0.0001	-0.73	<0.0001
Placebo	-0.41	0.1654	-0.11	<0.0001	-0.22	<0.0001

6. In addition to subjects' personal assessment of pain/discomfort during CAE exposure, lid edema and lid margin capping were assessed as a measure of ocular inflammation. Lid edema was graded on a standardized 0-4 scale (0 = none; 4 = severe). Thirteen eyes (7 in Dry Eye Oral Supplement group, 6 in Placebo Group) presented at baseline with lid edema >0 (0-4 scale). After 10 weeks of treatment 71% of eyes in Dry Eye Oral Supplement Group showed total clearing of lid edema, compared with no clearing compared to baseline edema in the Placebo Group. Lid margin capping was also evaluated and assessed as "absent" or "present. At baseline, lid margin capping was present in 6 eyes (4 in Dry Eye Oral Supplement group, 2 in

Placebo Group). After 10 weeks of treatment, capping cleared in 2 out of 4 eyes (50%) in the Dry Eye Oral Supplement Group, while none (0 out of 2 eyes) cleared in the Placebo Group.

7. Inflammation is universally recognized as the primary cause of dry eye. The results of this study prove that an ocular anti-inflammatory effect is achieved with oral intake of Dry Eye Oral Supplement. The data indicate that the Dry Eye Oral Supplement was significantly and surprisingly more effective than Placebo for the treatment of ocular inflammation associated with Dry Eye in the CAE model. The combination of the carotenoid/polyphenol with omega-3 fatty acids provided a very effective anti-inflammatory effect. The striking level of reduction of patient discomfort, and significant decrease in objective indicia of ocular tissue inflammation combined with a favorable safety profile makes this composition ideal for administration to patients with dry eye syndrome.

8. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by a fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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DENTAL SCHOOL:

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PROMOTION TO LIEUTENANT COMMANDER
OCTOBER 1979

PROMOTION TO COMMANDER
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JULY 30, 1985

PROMOTION TO CAPTAIN
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